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SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECTS: DEEPWATER PORT

REF: (A) STATE 240809

(B) MONTVIDEO A-157, 10/10/74

(C) STATE CA-6921, 9/4/74

(D) MONTEVIDEO 2070

FOR COMMERCE, MAJOR PROJECTS DIVISION

1. GOU'S DEEPWATER PORT COMMISSION HAS SENT LETTERS THROUGH
URUGUAYAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON TO FOLLOWING FIRMS:

FREDERICK R. HARRIS, INC.

300 E. 42ND ST.

NEW YORK, N.Y. 10017

PARSONS, BRINCKERHOFF, QUADE AND DOUGLAS

ONE PEEN PLAZA, 250 W. 34TH ST.

NEW YORK, N.Y. 10001

SOROS ASSOCIATES

575 LEXINGTON AVE

NEW YORK, N.Y. 10022

TAMS

345 PARK AVE

NEW YORK, N.Y. 10022

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483 ST. KATHERINE ST. W.
MONTREAL, CANADA

2. THESE FIRMS, WHICH ARE IDB APPROVED, ARE BEING INVITED TO SUBMIT STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATIONS AND METHODS OF INVESTIGATION THEY WILL USE IF SELECTED TO PERFORM PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDIES FOR DEEPWATER PORT AND BID ITSELF. DATES FOR BID SUBMISSION AND CONTRACT AWARD ARE UNAVAILABLE TO US BUT ARE CONTAINED IN LETTERS TO COMPANIES STATING CONDITIONS FOR SUBMISSION. LETTERS ALSO TRANSMIT SPECIFICATION SHEET DESCRIBED REF (D) STATING THAT ABOUT \$80,000 HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED FOR PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDY AND PROVIDING DETAILS OF GOU'S WISHES FOR CONTENTS OF STUDY ITSELF.

3. GOAL OF PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDY IS TO DETERMINE IF GOU SHOULD CONTINUE ITS INVESTIGATIONS OF DEEPWATER PORT POSSIBILITIES. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, BOTH MONTEVIDEO AND BUENOS AIRES ARE LIMITED IN SIZE OF SHIPS THAT CAN ENTER. THERE HAS BEEN SOME DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE ARGENTINE INTEREST IN PROPOSAL. NO FINANCING HAS YET BEEN ARRANGED. SITE OF PORT IS UNDETERMINED AND WILL BE ANYWHERE FROM AND INCLUDING MONTEVIDEO TO BRAZILIAN BORDER. STUDY IS TO INCLUDE ESTIMATES OF INVESTMENT NEEDED, FUTURE COSTS OF OPERATIONS, CARGO CAPACITIES, SAVINGS REALIZED, ETC. FOR ALTERNATE PORTS.

4. REF (D) TRANSMITTED EARLY INFORMATION THIS SUBJECT AND UPDATE WAS PROVIDED IN REF (B) AS SOON AS UPDATE INFO BECAME AVAILABLE TO US.
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